

INDUSTRIAL LIFE OF NATION SUFFERS BY STRIKE

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A record breaking production was made during the month of March by the Tonopah Divide Mining company. During the 31-day period which drew to a close yesterday in the neighborhood of 1800 tons were shipped to the Belmont mill, which was something like 300 tons more than the contract calls for. The average value of the ore was better than \$30 a ton, but the exact figures will not be available for a few days.

Shaft sinking is again in order and the shaft had a depth on Wednesday night of 1340 feet. Since the station was cut at the 1300 level, sinking has progressed for 40 feet and excellent headway is being made in the drop, which is to be continued until the water level has been reached.

The showing on the Tonopah Divide, coupled with the increased tonnage of ore that is being mined, speaks volumes concerning the merits of the property. That the property is destined to eventually take its place among the biggest silver-gold producers in Nevada, is no longer doubted by the best informed mining men and the life of the mine is unquestionably of many years' duration.

POMONA LEGION TO SPONSOR BASEBALL

(By Associated Press) POMONA, April 1.—The Charles P. Rowe Post No. 30, American Legion, plans to enter the American Legion baseball league. Tentative arrangements have been made for two eight-team leagues composed of teams from 15 southern California posts. The winners of the two leagues will meet for the championship of southern California.

JAMES SHEA TAKES LEASE IN TONOPAH

James Shea, pioneer leaser of Manhattan, who has made and lost fortunes in mining, has taken up his residence in Tonopah. Mr. Shea has taken a lease on the Tonopah Extension dump at shaft No. 1, and has four men in his employ. Mr. Shea is a rustler and as the old saying goes, "It's hard to keep a good man down."

WORK NOT RESUMED UTAH PROPERTIES

(By Associated Press) SALT LAKE CITY, April 1.—Despite the fact that it was announced by Charles Hayden, of New York, yesterday, that work is to be resumed at the Utah Copper company's mines at Bingham, no instructions had been received at the local office of that company this morning. As a consequence resumption of work did not take place. It was stated by General Manager R. C. Gemmel, however, that preparations are being made to resume operations immediately upon receipt of word.

FATALITIES IN BELFAST REACH 64 IN MARCH

Blackest Month in History of
City, With Assaults Still
Much in Evidence.

(By Associated Press) BELFAST, April 1.—The roll of fatalities, from factional disorders in Belfast, reached 64 for March, the blackest month in Belfast's history. The last victim of the month was Francis Flynn, who died last night from the effects of injuries received in a recent bombing outrage.

(By Associated Press) BELFAST, April 1.—A laborer, named Donnelly, was seated at the fireside last night, reading the terms of the London peace pact to his wife from a newspaper, when a bomb was thrown which killed their 3-year-old son, wounded two other children and Donnelly himself. Donnelly had just remarked to his wife that the troubles in Belfast were over, when the bomb was hurled. The child was sleeping in his baby chair when killed. Four shots were fired, without effect, at Mrs. Donnelly, who was nursing a baby.

(By Associated Press) LONDON, April 1.—The Dublin brigade of the Irish republican army has been mobilized for parade tomorrow to take a new oath of allegiance, or oath with new implications, says a statement issued from the army headquarters in Beggar's Bush barracks, as telegraphed by the Daily Mail correspondent. Officers and men must understand that the real purpose of mobilization is to take them away from their position under the general headquarters as an army of the government of the people of Ireland.

(By Associated Press) BELFAST, April 1.—The train from Belfast to Dublin was held up today, at Dunleer, near Louth, by 40 armed men wearing trench coats, leggings and caps. The men entered the mail coach and removed all letters and parcels from Belfast. During the raid the train crew and the Dunleer station staff were covered by revolvers.

(By Associated Press) BELFAST, April 1.—A fierce fight between a party of police and members of the Irish republican army occurred nine miles from Cookstown, Tyrone county, Ulster, at midnight last night. The police were patrolling the district, which is mountainous, when they came upon a large body of soldiers drilling. The patrol took cover and in the ensuing battle a police commander was wounded, and the soldiers lost one killed and several wounded.

PERNICIOUS LOBBYING CHARGE UNSUSTAINED

(By Associated Press) JACKSON, Miss., April 1.—The special committee of the Mississippi house of representatives named to investigate the charges of pernicious lobbying by certain fire insurance interests and other allegations, by Governor Russell in a recent special message to the legislature, reported its investigations had failed to substantiate the charges.

SIX THOUSAND MINES ARE CLOSED AS RESULT OF MORE THAN HALF MILLION WORKERS RESPONDING TO CALL TO QUIT WORK--RAILROADS ARE AFFECTED

(By Associated Press) For the first time in the history of the coal industry, both the bituminous and anthracite coal fields are idle as a result of the cessation of work by 600,000 miners, effective at midnight last night. Union officials asserted that 100,000 non-union miners were included in the walkout and that 6000 of the 7,500 mines of the country were shut down. The first day of the nation-wide suspension fell on the anniversary of the adoption of the 8-hour day, on April 1, 1898. As the day has been generally observed as a holiday in normal times, estimates of the completeness of suspension is not regarded as final. Early reports gave no indication of disorder. The administration of Washington has continued to observe a "hands off" policy.

(By Associated Press) COLUMBUS, O., April 1.—Union coal miners of Ohio, numbering approximately 50,000, who answered the nation-wide strike call last night, were believed to have brought about an almost complete cessation of mining operations. Reports received here indicated that few small mines would remain in operation, but that practically every large one would be closed.

(By Associated Press) BENTON, Ill., April 1.—Spasmodic shooting occurred in various sections of southern Illinois, where the miners' strike is reported 100 per cent complete. Jesse Henson, night chief of police of Duquoin, was shot and

FRANCE NEVER INTENDED NOT TO PAY U. S.

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, April 1.—The French government never had any intention of contesting the right of the United States to be as completely reimbursed for their army costs as other governments with troops on the Rhine, says the reply of the French government to the American note in relation to army costs made public at the state department today.

CONGRESSIONAL ACTION WANTED ON COAL MINES

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, April 1.—Congressional action to prohibit overdevelopment of the coal industry was proposed here by Philip Murray, vice-president of the United Mine Workers of America, as a cure for the great evil which has America in the grip of a nation-wide strike today, as a result of 10,000 bituminous mines being worked in this country, when 7000 mines could produce sufficient coal for the nation's needs, he declared.

"Bob" Hussey Looking Over Tonopah Field

R. H. "Bob" Hussey, accompanied by his wife and daughter, were arrivals in Tonopah this morning from Berkeley. Mr. Hussey was formerly engaged in business here and was a member of the firm of Morrow & Hussey. He has disposed of his haberdashery business in Berkeley, and being still a part owner of the building now occupied by E. Marks, Main street business man, is looking over the business situation here, and may decide to again locate in Tonopah.

JOHN G. KIRCHEN, general manager of the Tonopah Extension Mining company, accompanied by his wife, and Mrs. Milan Daddovich, the latter a graduate nurse, returned this morning from San Francisco. Mr. Kirchen, who had been receiving treatment for an infected eye, has fully recovered.

all districts were that 58 companies were operating 206 collieries, employing 155,000 men and boys, were idle. This is the first general suspension in the anthracite fields since 1912 when a new wage scale signed on May 20 and was ordered by the union pending negotiations of the wage contract to take the place of the one expired yesterday.

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West End Declares Twenty-Cent Dividend

A flash was received this morning by R. Fred Brown, the broker, announcing that the West End Consolidated Mining company had declared a dividend of 20 cents. Whether this means that a 20-cent dividend has been declared or that the dividend calls for 5 cents a quarter, or whether an extra five cents is to be paid, could not be learned.

JAPS ORDERED VACATE LANDS IN 3 COUNTIES

Japanese Consul General in
San Francisco Presents
Matter to Officials.

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—An alleged demand made upon several hundred Japanese residents at Oroquieta, Tulare county, and Delano, Kern county, by automobile parties composed of white men, that they vacate farms and other interests by today, is being investigated by S. Yada, Japanese consul general here, Yada announced. The bureau of investigation of the department of justice has also been advised of the demand, Yada said.

Yada announced he had notified the Japanese language newspapers here to advise readers not to be alarmed at the situation. He also said he would be compelled to appeal to Governor Stephens in the event of violence. Notice was served on the Japanese on March 15, Yada said.

PIONEER GOLDFIELD RESIDENT IS DEAD

Mrs. Della Sauer, 67 years of age, died this morning at 8:20 o'clock at the family home near the new Midway shaft. Mrs. Sauer was born in Ireland, but came to Goldfield in 1904, residing in that city until 1916, when they moved to Tonopah, this place ever since having been their home. Mrs. Sauer was a lovable woman and had many friends who sympathize with the husband in his hour of sorrow.

No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral, but the remains are at the funeral home of Wonnacott & Cavanaugh, where they may be viewed by friends.

seriously wounded and Policeman Walter Sounce was wounded slightly by Harry Reid, a miner.

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METAL TRADES OF BAY CITIES TALK WALKOUT

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Members of the Bay Cities metal trades council have asked the international officers to sanction a strike if a wage reduction of 10 per cent in the shipyards and metal trades shops in the Bay district, announced by the California metal trades association is put into effect on April 17, Council Secretary Frank S. Miller announced.

PRETTY SCRAP DEVELOPS IN TRUSTEESHIP

One of the most spirited school elections that was ever witnessed in Tonopah is being conducted today. At 1 o'clock this afternoon 300 ballots had been cast and the high school building was crowded with men and women who were desirous of exercising their franchise. It is freely predicted that close to 1000 votes will be cast before the polls are closed at 5 o'clock.

Anyone in the high school building previous to 5 o'clock this afternoon will be permitted to cast a ballot, providing they are entitled to do so under the law, at which hour the doors will be locked until all have been given the opportunity of exercising their franchise.

NEW FACES APPEAR OPERATORS HOSPITAL

There was a general change in the personnel at the Mine Operators hospital yesterday afternoon when new faces appeared to take the places caused by the resignations of Miss Nellie Tansey and Miss Nevada Ryan. Their positions have been filled by Miss Alma Doane and Miss Norma Bell.

GOLD ZONE MAKING GOOD ORE SHOWING

Operations at the Gold Zone during the past week showed some improvement, although there was nothing of a sensational nature to report. Work continued without interruption on both the 600 and 700 levels, with a total footage of 34 feet having been accomplished. The official report as given out this morning by Captain H. R. Bradley, superintendent of workings, was as follows: "Drift 701 advanced 18 feet; raise 612 carried 8 feet; drift 708 advanced 8 feet."

DENISON BILL IS DISASTROUS TO THIS STATE

If It Becomes a Law Mining
Industry Would Suffer
Irreparable Damage.

The proposal now before the house of representatives, known as the Denison bill, H. R. 10558, will be up in the lower house of congress for a vote some time next week, according to word received from Congressman Samuel S. Arantz by The Silver State. Postmaster General Hubert Work has made an exhaustive report to the committee having charge of the proposed federal law and the national association of securities commissioners, meeting in Lincoln, Neb., a few weeks ago, endorsed the Denison proposal without a dissenting voice. Whatever protests are filed from this state should go forward promptly to Nevada's congressional delegation by wire, advises Congressman Arantz, who is altogether alive to the significance of the provisions of the bill, but cannot encompass its defeat without aid.

The proposal, enacted into law, will prove one of the most serious blows inflicted against this state in a generation, forbidding as it will, the several activities constituting, under normal conditions, legitimate mining promotion. Blue sky laws have been put into effect in many states, yet investment in bona fide Nevada offerings has continued. The proposed federal law would preclude the use of the mails in an interstate sense for mining exploitation and forbid the transportation of stock certificates through the mails or by any public carrier. In short, the man in Nevada desiring to invest in a Nevada mine would have to come or send an agent to this state to complete the transfer and accept its evidence in stock. There is no doubt that mining investments would still be made within this state by people living in other places, despite the enactment of the Denison bill into law, yet the mining promoter would be seriously hampered in his activities and many promising mining properties in this state would languish.

It would be only a step from amending the Denison proposal, once enacted into law, to make it a felony for a person to be found with mining stock in their possession, in which event mining activities will become as clandestine in character as bootlegging.

UTILITY PROPERTY SOLD AT AUCTION

(By Associated Press) GREENVILLE, Plumas County, Calif., April 1.—Entire holdings of the Plumas Power and Light corporation were auctioned off here recently by Sheriff L. A. Braden, of Plumas county, to satisfy a judgment against the concern. This is believed to be first time in the history of the state that property of a public utility corporation was sold under the hammer.

EX-EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA DIES STRANGE LAND

Charles Made Two Attempts
to Regain Throne Either
Austria or Hungary.

DEATH FROM PNEUMONIA

Unlike Napoleon He Was Given
Much Consideration on
Island of Madeira.

(By Associated Press) FUNCHAL, Madeira, April 1.—Former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary, died here today.

Former Emperor Charles and wife, Zita, were sent into exile by the entente allies after he had made two spectacular attempts to regain the throne either in Austria or Hungary. Thereafter he was kept a political prisoner on the Portuguese island Madeira, 400 miles off the African coast. Although his situation in exile there resembled in some respects that of Napoleon at St. Helena, Charles and Zita occupied much more comfortable position for they were given a pleasant home in the beautiful city of Funchal, whose residents treated them with friendly consideration. Their children remained in Switzerland.

"GHOST CITY" ONCE THRIVING MINING TOWN

(By Associated Press) COLOMA, El Dorado County, Cal., April 1.—Near Kelsey, five miles southeast of here, lies another "ghost town" of the west—Statington, where lived officials and employees of a one flourishing slate industry. Not a soul now lives in the town, which has been vacant for 12 years. The town consists of the superintendent's house, with an entire slate interior, company office, 25 residences with slate roofs, two large rooming houses, and barns. Only the boarding house has been removed since the quarry was abandoned.

In the valley below is the immense quarry of the Eureka Slate company, where were employed 100 miners who worked in a pit 1000 feet deep, 500 feet wide and 900 feet long. The visitor can still see the entire quarry, with all the machinery, just as it appeared when abandoned in 1910.

BUTLER —THEATRE— —TODAY—

LOOK WHO'S HERE!
Charlie Chaplin
—IN—
"BEHIND THE SCREEN"

One of his best 2-reel comedies
and
The beautiful blonde star
Grace Darmond
—IN—
"The Beautiful Gambler"

Tomorrow
Bebe Daniels in "Nancy From Nowhere," her latest picture, and—
Ruth Roland, in "White Eagle."

Monday—Thomas H. Ince's
"HAIL THE WOMAN."

THE WEATHER

Local Observer, United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures 5 a.m.	Noon
Current	26 44
Wet bulb	24 36
Relative humidity	68 48
Temperatures, Extremes	
1922 1921	
Minimum yesterday	43 68
Maximum yesterday	63 43